

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ABSTRACT**

Public Services - Irrigation & CAD Department – Irregularities in drawing of Mobilization and Equipment advances for the works taken under EPC – Yadiki Canal System (PABR Stage – II) Anantapur Dist. - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri P. Sreenivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO - WSDs submitted – Inquiry conducted - Further action dropped - orders - Issued.

**IRRIGATION & C.A.D. (Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 441**

**Dated: 04-05-2013**

**Read the following:**

- Ref: 1. Director General (Vig. & Enft.) & E.O. Prl. Secy. to Govt.,  
G.A.D. Report No.43(1073/V&E./E.1/2005), DT. 09.06.2006.  
2. G.O.Rt.No.536 I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E-1)Dept, Dt. 18-05-2010.  
3. G.O.Rt.No.537 I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E-1)Dept, Dt. 18-05-2010.  
4. WSD of Sri P. Sreenivasa Rao, TO dt. 20-6-2010.  
5. WSD of Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO dt. 23-06-2010  
6.G.O.Rt.No.298,I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E)A1) Dept., dt. 29-03-2011.  
7. G.O.Rt.No.162,I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E)A1) Dept., dt. 13-02-2012.  
8. From Sri Jitender, IPS GA(COI-J) D.O.Lr.No.120/COI-J/  
A2/2012, Dt. 17-4-2012.  
9. Govt. Memo No. 20821/ser.VII(V&E)A1/2006-25, dt.  
31-05-2012.  
10. From Sri P. Sreenivasa Rao, TO Rept. dt. 29-06-2012.  
11. From Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO Rept. dt. 29-06-2012

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, it has been brought to the notice of Government that certain irregularities took place in drawing of Mobilization and Equipment advances for the works taken up under EPC – Yadiki Canal System (PABR Stage – II) comprising packages 32 & 33 in Anantapur Dist. with a recommendation to initiate of suitable departmental action against the individuals responsible for such irregularities.

2. After examination of the matter, it has been decided to initiate departmental action against all the individuals responsible for the irregularities took place in drawing of Mobilization and Equipment advances for the works taken up under EPC – Yadiki Canal System (PABR Stage – II), Anantapur Dist. Accordingly, in the references 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, disciplinary action has been initiated against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO by way of issuing articles of charge against them along with others under Rule 20 of A.P.C S, (CC&A) Rules, 1991 with a direction to submit their WSDs.

3. In the references 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO have submitted their WSDs along with others COs with a request to drop further action against them. After examination of the WSDs of all the charged officers, it has been decided to place them before the Commissioner of Inquiries for conducting a detailed inquiry into the charges framed against them, as the WSDs of the C.Os are not convincing. Accordingly, in the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, Dr. Subrendu Battacharya, IAS Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration(COI) Department has been appointed as Inquiring Authority to conduct detailed inquiry into the charges framed against the charged officers. Subsequently in the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri Jitender, IPS COI has been appointed as Inquiry Authority.

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4. In the reference 8<sup>th</sup> read above, the Inquiring Authority has submitted his inquiry report stating that the charge framed against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO is held as proved. In the reference 9<sup>th</sup> read above, a copy of the inquiry report has been communicated to the both charged officers along with others with a direction to submit their explanations if any on the findings of Inquiring Authority.

5. In the references 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO have submitted their explanations stating that they have been working in circle office and they are not connected to the invoices and requested to drop further action against them.

6. After careful examination of the explanations of Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO, it has been decided to incline with the explanations of the above charged officers and to drop further action against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O. and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO. Accordingly Govt. hereby drop further action against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, T.O. and Sri C. Ramesh Babu, ATO in respect of the irregularities took place in drawing of Mobilization and Equipment advances for the works taken up under EPC – Yadiki Canal System (PABR Stage – II) Anantapur District.

7. The I&CAD(Ser.I) Dept. / the Engineer-in-Chief(AW), I&CAD Dept., Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**SHAILENDRA KUMAR JOSHI**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The individuals (**Through**) the Engineer-in-Chief(AW), I&CAD Dept., Hyderabad  
The Engineer-in-Chief(AW), I&CAD Dept., Hyderabad.  
The I&CAD(Ser.I) Dept.  
Copy to:  
The Accountant General, AP., Hyderabad.  
The General Administrative (V&E) Department.  
The Secretary to VC, A.PVC, Hyderabad.  
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**//FORWARDED : BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER**